## \* DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY - 2007 Monsoon \*

Amendment #1

WHEREAS, between July 21, 2007 and August 6, 2007 a series of potent monsoon storms (the "2007 Monsoons") and flash floods damaged several Communities throughout Arizona; and

WHEREAS, on September 14, 2007, I declared a state of emergency in (among other places) Cochise, Gila, Mohave and Pinal Counties for the 2007 Monsoons; and

WHEREAS, additional damages from the 2007 Monsoons to major roads under the Arizona Department of Transportation's (ADOT) jurisdiction in Navajo, Pima and Santa Cruz Counties, classified as "rural major collector" or above by the United States Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration ("USFHWA"), have been identified by ADOT; and

WHEREAS, ADOT is in the process of requesting a USFHWA declaration for Cochise, Gila and Pinal Counties for the Emergency Relief Program; and

WHEREAS, the Governor is authorized to declare and amend an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303(D); and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has authorized the expenditure of funds in the event of an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 35-192;

**NOW, THEREFORE I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State, do hereby determine that an amendment to the 2007 Monsoon Emergency is necessary, pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303(D), and I do hereby:

- a. Amend the 2007 Monsoon Emergency Declaration of September 14, 2007 to include Navajo, Pima and Santa Cruz Counties; and
- b. Direct the Arizona Department of Transportation to request a declaration from the USFHWA for the repair and restoration of the major roads referenced above through their ER program.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Joseph Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this day of October in the Year Two Thousand Seven and of the independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE